

TMDL QUESTIONS OCTOBER 5, 2010

1. What happened to the 5% Reserve originally required by EPA (to offset model updates underway but not complete) to be included in the WIP to account for modeling updates?
2. Regarding the 5.3 Model:
 - a. When will a revised version (i.e., 5.3 Model) be published that incorporates the urban land area revisions currently being peer reviewed?
 - b. How do these areas compare with the numbers released to the public on May 25, 2010:

Model Version	Analysis Year	Impervious Surface (ac)	Pervious Surface (ac)
Phase 5.2	2002	799,989	3,591,799
Phase 5.3	2002	675,917	1,885,935
Phase 5.3 Model	2001	1,587,575	5,896,707
Phase 5.3 Model (excluding suburb and rural wooded areas)	2001	1,569,377	3,442,346

- c. What will the effect of these new areas be upon the current loading rates of:

	Loading (lbs./acre-year)	
	Impervious	Pervious Urban
TN	11.8	8.7
TP	2.1	1.1

- d. What effect do you expect this will have on Sector Load Allocations in Phase II?
 - e. When will the Phase II WIP allocations be provided to the public?
3. Public Comment – Do you believe that releasing a ±2,500 page document (±800 pages without Appendices) with 45 days for public comment is reasonable?
4. How/where do the TMDL or EPA WIP backstop comments address cost effectiveness of the proposal?
5. Has the EPA provided recommended Sector Allocations to the states? If so, where are they located in the TMDL?